KORPS COMMANDOTROEPEN
ROYAL NETHERLANDS ARMY
SPECIAL FORCES REGIMENT

Coalition Special Operations

“The Netherlands Perspective”

INTRODUCTION

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MISSION KCT (1998)

- Conduct missions in the NATO spectrum of Special Operations.
- Conduct missions in support of two military operations with up to 4 teams each (sustainability 3 years).

MISSION KCT

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- Provide service and administrative support and internal communications.
- Act as Policy and Planning branch for Special Operations, with a close link to the Defence Staff.
- Provide internal training for Special Operations.

TASKS KCT

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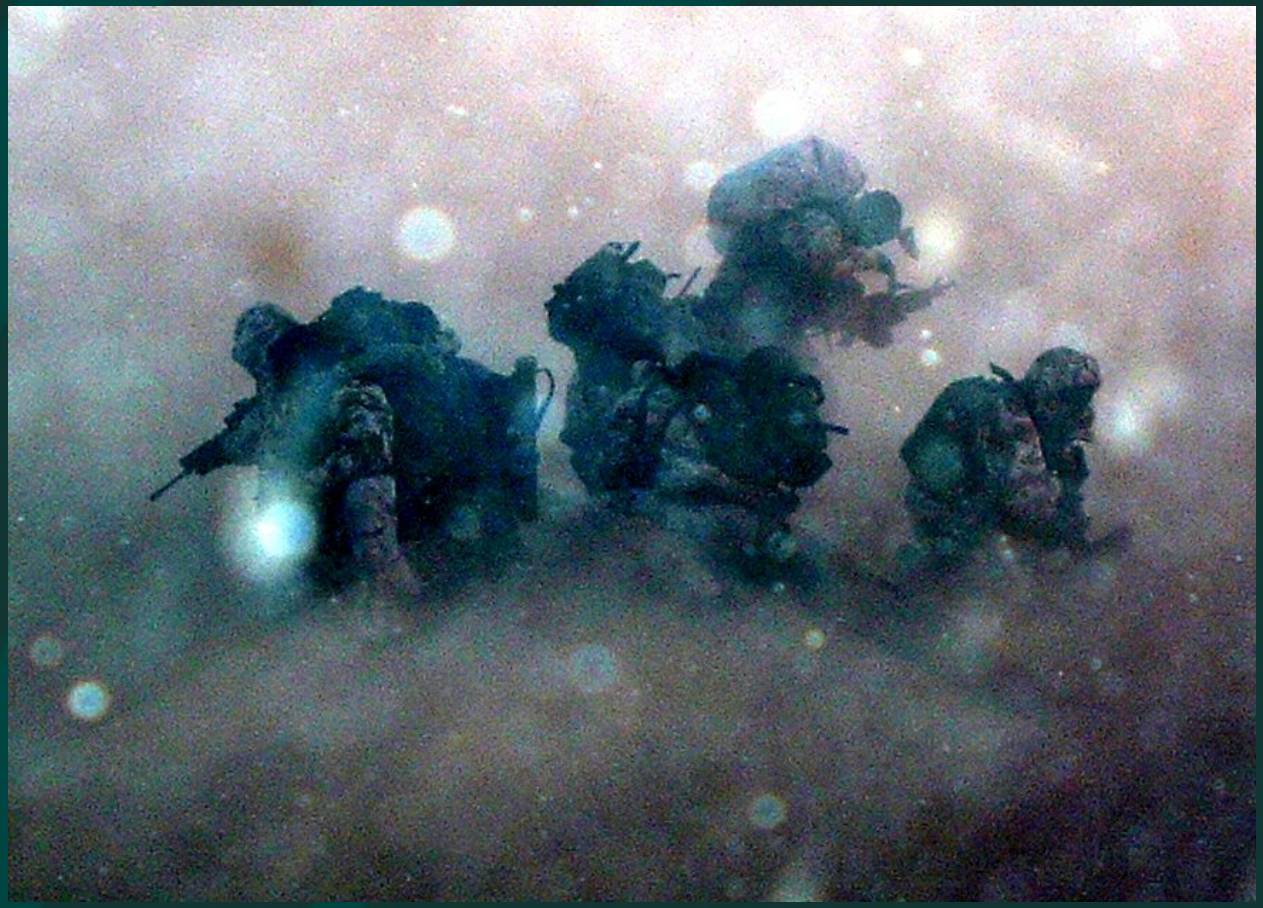
Primary Mission Tasks

- Special Reconnaissance (SR)
- Direct Action (DA)
- Military Assistance (MA)

Collateral Activities

... pre-selected high value

.... small scale offensive



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... terminal guidance of precision-guided munitions ...

… Provide training, advise or assistance to friendly or allied forces in peacetime, crisis or

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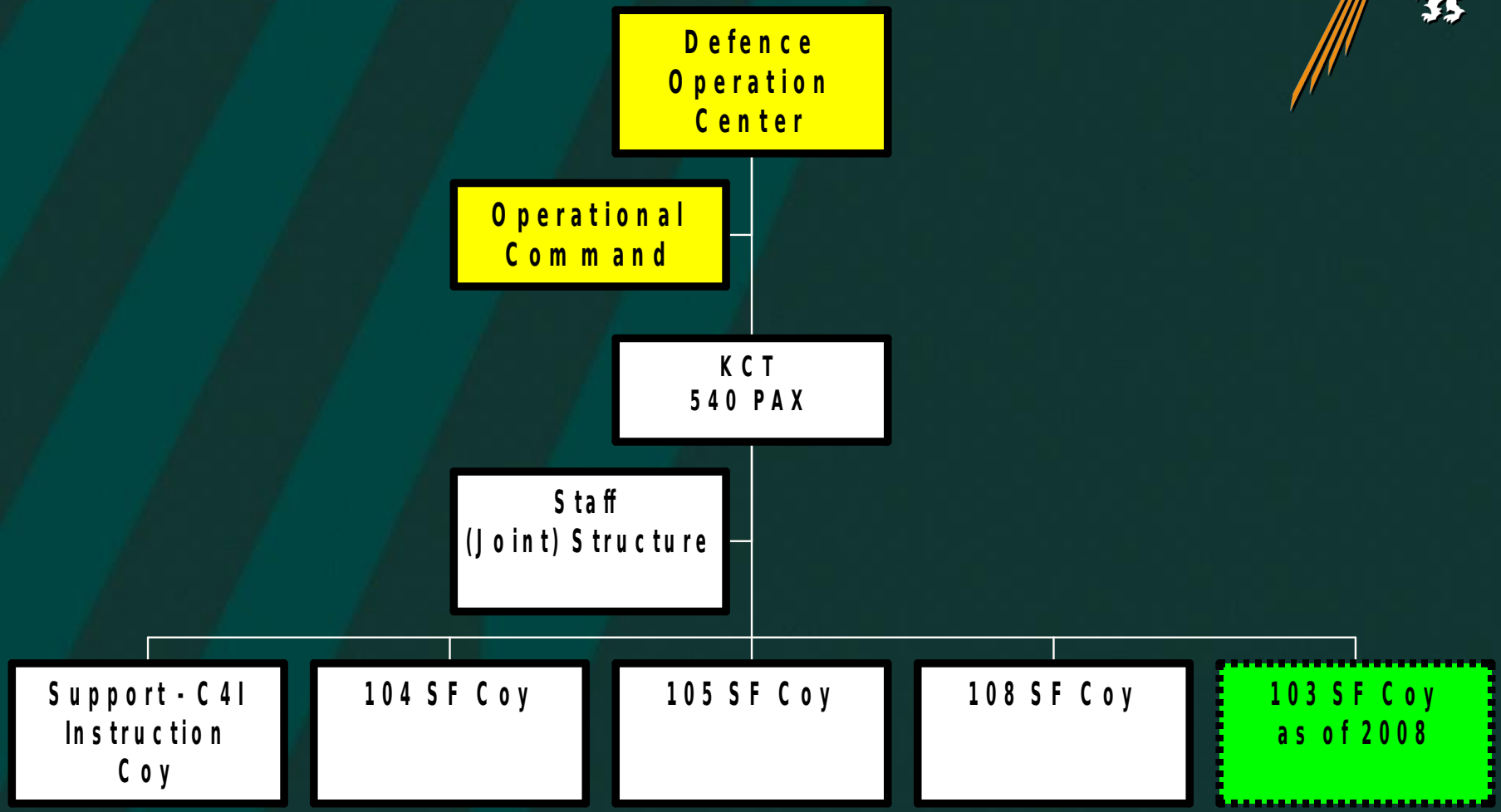

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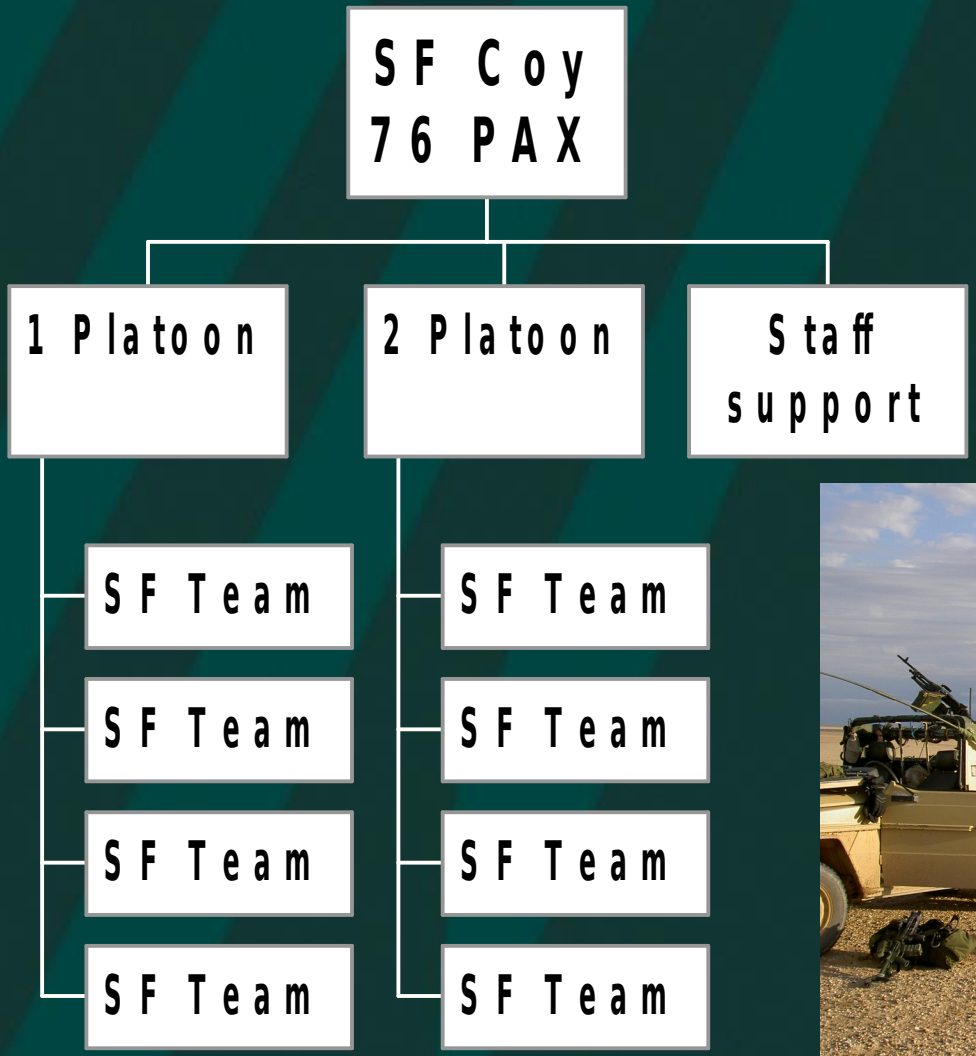

INDIVIDUAL SKILLS

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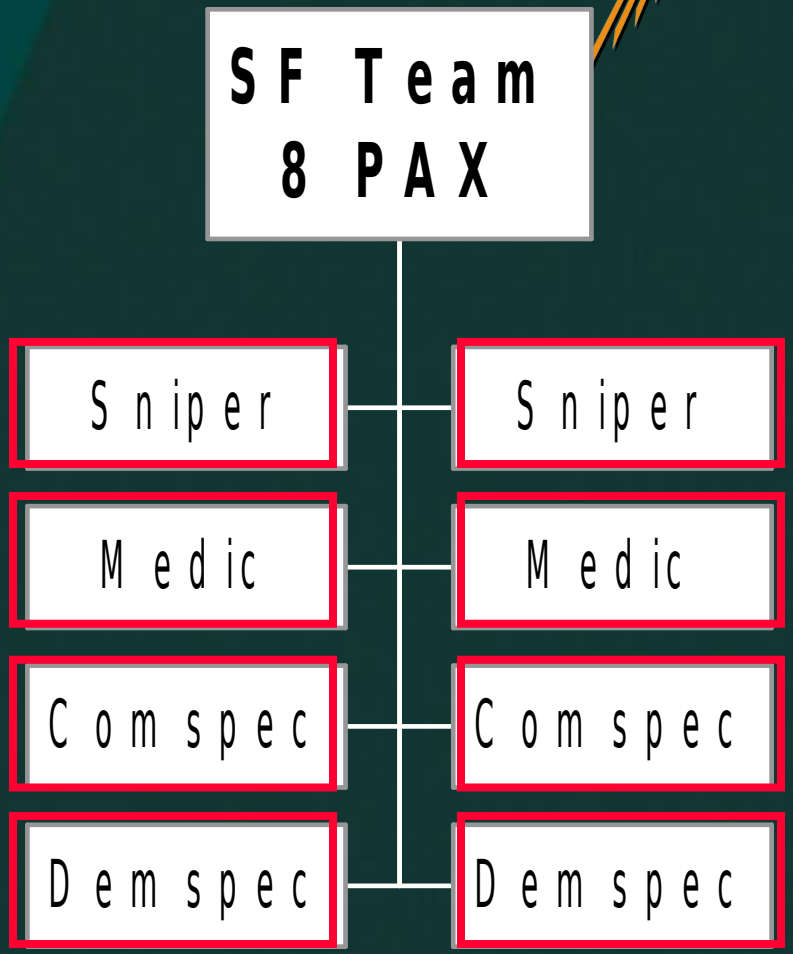

JOINT OPERATIONS

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FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

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- Directives and co-ordination from SOF Branch of the CHOD.
- Integration with “Special Forces” of the Royal (NL) Marine Corps.
- Integration with “designated” Royal (NL) Air Force elements.

COMBINED OPERATIONS

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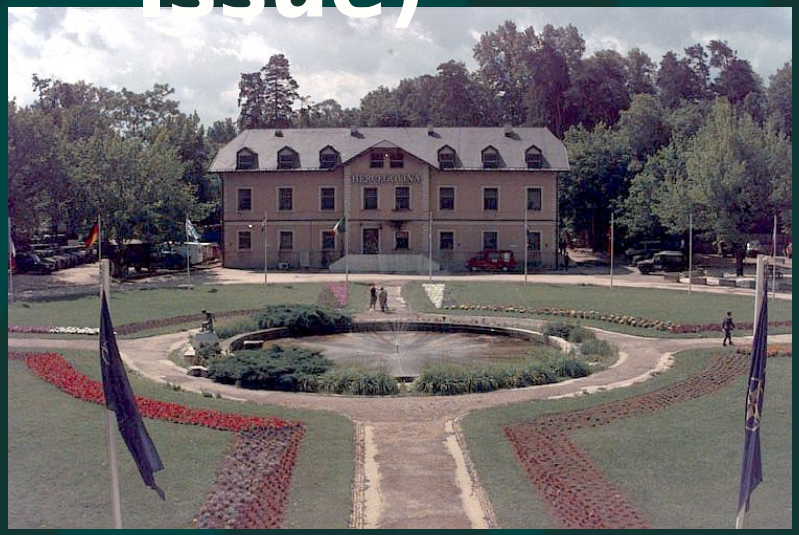
BOSNIA / KOSOVO / FYROM

- Crisis Response Operations
- Joint Commision Observers
- PIFWC Operations (National Issue)



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AFGHANISTAN

- Crisis Response Operations
- Military Assistance to ANA

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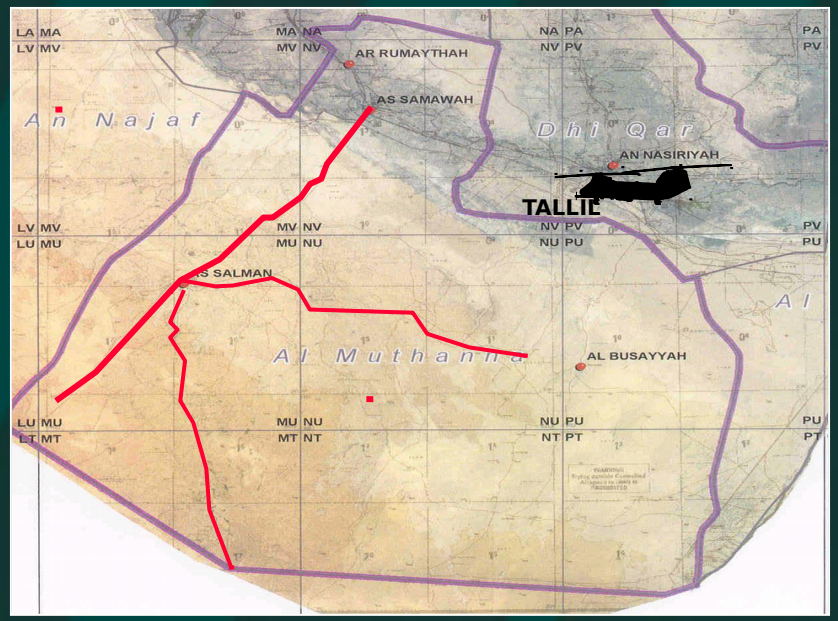
IRAQ

- National SF Operations in AOR
- Military Assistance to ICDC
- Field Liaison Teams (FLT)



COMBINED TRAINING

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Emphasis at team level

- NATO exercises.
- Training with other SF units.

Emphasis at unit level

- NATO Staff training & exercises.
- NATO & international courses.

FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

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- Increased level of ambition for joint operations!
- Employment in Coalition SOF operations (intent NL government)!
- Increase national and international interoperability!
- Form a (bi-national) framework for CJFSOCC operations by 2007!

CONCLUSION

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United We Conquer